IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Conley, Gregory J.

Examiner: Nguyen, L.

Art Unit: 2712

Continuation of Serial No. 08/598,158, filed February 7, 1996, entitled ARRAY-CAMERA MOTION PICTURE DEVICE, AND METHODS TO PRODUCE NEW

VISUAL AND AURAL EFFECTS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

The following is a Preliminary Amendment for a Continuation of Serial No. 08/598,158. Please enter the following amendments prior to calculating the filing fees.

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Director is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 18-1164 and consider

this a petition therefor.

In the Specification:

Please insert the following at the beginning of the specification:

-- This application claims the benefit of and is a Continuation Application of

United States Application Serial Number 08/598,158, filed February 7, 1996, which is a

file wrapper continuation of United States Application Serial Number 08/251,398, filed

May 5, 1994, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference. --

Consideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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